PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For:

METHOD FOR FIXING METAL PARTICLES AND METHOD FOR

MANUFACTURING SUBSTRATE CONTAINING METAL PARTICLES, METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SUBSTRATE CONTAINING CARBON NANOTUBE, AND

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SUBSTRATE CONTAINING

SEMICONDUCTOR-CRYSTALLINE ROD, EMPLOYING

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. The Amendment is being filed along with a Petition for Extension of Time for one month, thereby extending the date of response from December 24, 2008 to January 24, 2009. Therefore, the response is timely filed.

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